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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: **HERBERT MARTIN WILSON et al.**
Serial No.: 09/917,964
Filed: July 30, 2001
Group Art Unit: 1638
Examiner: G. Helmer
For: **Methods for Tissue Culturing and
Transforming Elite Inbreds of Zea mays L.**

EXTENSION OF TIME

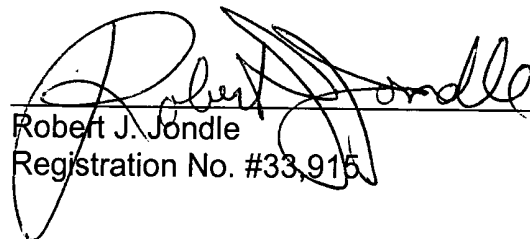
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Sir:

Applicant requests an extension of time for three months for the purpose of filing a Notice of Appeal. Enclosed is a check for \$920 for the three month extension.

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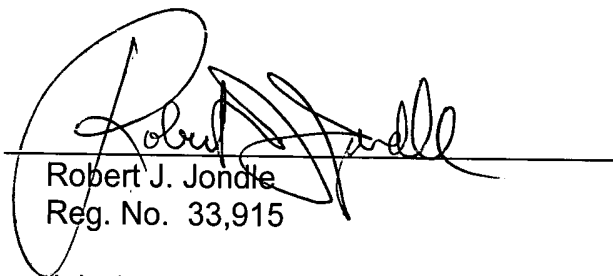


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